

Conservation World • Features

- 1 NATIONAL ARCHERY IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM (NASP) OUTDOOR ADVENTURE RAFFLE PACKAGE/ INFORMATION TENT**
- 2 EDUCATION TENT – “SAVING SPECIES”**
The Division of Education will feature “Saving Species” to highlight the conservation work and history of the IDNR. Activities for the entire family will be available. A packet of seeds of native plants that are beneficial to pollinators will be distributed to the first 5,000 families who visit this tent.
- 3 LAW ENFORCEMENT TENT**
Visit with a Conservation Police Officer.
- 4 FORESTRY TENT**
“The Tree Doctor is In” at 4:30 p.m. daily. Don't know what kind of tree you have in your backyard? Bring a leaf to be identified, or ask a forester how to trim trees, or learn how you can be a better conservationist. Help the bees and butterflies and purchase your “home-size” bag of pollinator seed mix to plant in your yard. Smokey Bear will be stopping by to say hello, and kids can try their luck at various Woodsy games.
- 5 PRIVATE LAND PROGRAMS/WATER SURVEY/STATE MUSEUM/HISTORIC SITES TENT**
Get your free milkweed seeds and come see the Butterfly House filled with butterflies, including monarchs in their various stages of development. Tagging and releasing of monarchs will be at 11:30 a.m., and 5 p.m., daily. Information on private land programs and management for wetlands, prairies and forests will be available. Free information on testing and maintenance of private wells. The Museum & Historic Sites feature fantastic educational exhibits and activities for young and old alike.
- 6 BEER TENT**
- 7 MINES & MINERALS AND OIL & GAS TENT**
There are kid-friendly exhibits of conventional oil and gas practices, how horizontal wells are drilled, and the High Volume Horizontal Hydraulic Fracturing process. Plenty of fun for the kids with the Rock Box. Check out the educational displays of past and present mining practices. Learn how minerals are used in and around the home.
- 8 FISHERIES TENT**
See Illinois sportfish in the new Hawg Trough fish aquarium. Can you identify the different types of catfish, bass, and sunfish, or know what a muskie or alligator gar looks like? Check out the bowfishing demonstrations, and kids age 10 and under can try their luck at the fishing pond from 11 a.m. – 12 p.m., 2 p.m. – 3 p.m., and 4 p.m. – 5 p.m. Sign up is in the Fisheries tent.
- 9 WILDLIFE & HERITAGE TENT**
Wildlife or heritage biologists will be available to help you learn about Illinois' flora and fauna, habitat management and other interesting topics, such as identifying paw prints or live native mussels found in local streams and rivers. You can learn about how hunting is key to wildlife conservation, and sit in a duck blind next to real ducks! There are interactive exhibits and activities for all ages!
- 10 Kids Fishing Pond – Kids Fishing Clinics**
Daily activities take place
..... 10:30 a.m., 12 Noon, 1:30, 3:00, 4:30, and 5:30 p.m.
- 11 Rock Climbing Wall**
Test your strength and your skills at the portable climbing structure
- 12 Youth Archery Range – *Be a straight arrow and stop by!***
- 13 The Wood Shed**
- 14 IDNR Outdoor Amphitheater**
Illinois Green Industry Association information center
IDNR Volunteer of the Year Awards & ICF Recognition Ceremony
..... 11:00 a.m. – Aug. 18
Henson Robinson & Glenview Zoos
..... 12 Noon – Aug. 18



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Welcome to CONSERVATION WORLD



Conservation World!
Conservation World features a wide array of free entertainment and hands-on activities that will entertain and educate our visitors about the outdoor recreational opportunities, and Illinois' natural and cultural resources throughout the state.

Food Vendors in Conservation World!

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| A – 17th Street Barbeque | E – Sno Biz |
| B – Candy Man | F – AZ-T-CA Mexican Grill |
| C – Dragon Fire Pizza | G – Bud's Rootbeer |
| D – A & J Ice Cream | H – Kettle Korn & Pork Rinds |



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- 15 Rustic Toys & Treasures**
- 16 John Massey, Mountain Forge Blacksmith**
- 17 Youth BB Gun Range – *Stop in and take your best shot!***
- 18 Do-It Yourself Tie-Dye**
- 19 American Chemical Society**
Daily demos take place
..... 10:30 a.m., 12:30, 3:00, & 5:00 p.m.
- 20 Voyageur Canoe Rides**
..... 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. – Aug. 10-12 & 18-19
- 21 Learn About Fish! – *at the Fisheries Tent!***
Bowfishing Demonstrations
- 22 Fly Fishing Demonstrations**
Participants will gain hands-on experience fly casting, and learn the essential mechanics of fly casting for a variety of species and the appropriate tackle to use.
- 23 Paul Bunyan Lumberjack Show**
..... 12 Noon, 2:00, 4:00 & 6:00 – Aug. 10-12 & Aug. 17-19
..... 12 Noon, 3:00 & 6:00 – Aug. 13-16
- 24 Illinois EPA**
Hands-on educational activities and games for children.
- 25 Sportsmen Tent/Outdoors News Magazine**
Visit with representatives from the National Wild Turkey Federation, Friends of NRA, Quail Unlimited and the Illinois State Rifle Association. Get your free copy of Outdoors News Magazine.
- 26 Grandpa Littrell's Rustic Furniture**
..... 10:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. – Aug. 10-12 & 18-19
- 27 Dogs That Help**
- 28 Springfield Park District**
- 29 The Baby Cabin**
A cool, dry and clean place for infant feeding and a diaper changing station

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Bowfishing – At the boat dock next to the Fisheries Tent
Do-It Yourself Tie-Dye
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